

Whoso rewardeth evil for good, evil shall not depart from his house.  
Proverbs 17:13.

# THE OTISFIELD NEWS

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The Otisfield Juvenile Grange held its regular meeting Friday evening and had a public Halloween party. The Sabbath Day Lake Juvenile Grange were guests and there were twenty six members there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goss arrived home Monday, after an extended visit with friends in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Jillson were in Windham Sunday visiting his sister Mrs. Cora Rogers.

Pearl Vining and Irene Wiley called on Steven Bean and his mother Margaret Bean Tuesday afternoon.

Robert Morrison of Auburn spent Friday night with his aunt Laura Fickett.

Sara Downing was a dinner guest of her sister Sybil Ramsdell in South Paris Monday.

Alice Knight and Bernice Blossom spent Wednesday afternoon with Gerry Lamb.

Ruth Greenleaf and her daughter Gail were home after the Teachers Convention in Bangor, to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Nutting.

Ola Lamb and her daughters Ruth and Madeline visited the Auburn Airport recently, called on Mrs. Lamb's niece Mrs. Kenneth Wakefield and her aunt Mrs. Inez Gould.

Mrs. Joseph Butler, Charles, Margaret and Donald Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamilton visited relatives in Windham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond and son of Malden, Mass. have bought the Barrows place from Frank Bean.

Barbara Peaco of Norway and Gordon Peaco of Fryeburg were week end guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Linley Peaco.

Bessie Welch spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Welch.

Joe Butler plans to celebrate his birthday November 1st, hunting for a deer.

Benjamin Dyer and his grandson Richard Dyer were in Windham Sunday.

Martin Wiley plowed a garden spot and did some grading for the Ernest Peacos last week.

Gladys Freeman and daughter Irene Wiley and children were dinner guests of Mrs. Lawrence Rowe in Norway last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vining and two children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Blake in Falmouth.

Stanley Chase had a bull-dozer busy over the week end, clearing the brook and shore by the old mill site.

Edith Butler made a business trip to Norway Thursday and, while there, called on her grandson Jeffery Goodwin.

Pearl Peaco spent Tuesday evening with the Ernest Peacos.

ATTENTION Ladies of the Womens Farm Bureau! The next meeting is one week from Friday, November 8. Winter decorations is the subject; Mr. Johnson is the instructor. Come and bring an old apron, an old pair of scissors and an old pair of gloves. It will be a worth while meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goggins are at their camp in Houghton for the week.

Howard Fickett finished working for Frank Bean Saturday night.

Mrs. E.B. Clifford of South Paris was a visitor of the Dexter Nutting Tuesday afternoon.

Week end guests of the Alf Lundes were Walter White and Salvatore Archolano of New York. Mr. White moved the household goods of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horton from Connecticut to Dean Peacos place.

Mrs. Jack Hill entertained guests from Massachusetts over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Webber Jr. spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cameron in Auburn.

Pearl Peaco attended the Teachers Convention in Bangor the last of the week.

Ralph Dyer is staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Dyer, while logging the Spiller lot.

Elizabeth Whittum is finishing a suit for her daughter-in-law Mrs. Harry Whittum. Mrs. Whittum is in her eighties and does excellent work.

Another Otisfield youth is bringing credit to our town. Gordon Peaco will represent Cumberland County at the National Junior Vegetable Judging contest to be held in Boston December 5 - 8.

Mr. Peaco, a Freshman at Fryeburg Academy, placed fifth in the state contest at the University of Maine in August.

Hannaford Brother Co., a produce firm in Portland, volunteered to pay the lads expenses for the trip. A team representing the State will compete at the contest, which is sponsored by the National Cannery Association.

This contest is being held in New England for the first time. Each county was asked to send a representative. The contestants will meet in Portland Dec. 4 with the 4-H agent for the Cumberland County Extension Service in a preliminary training contest.

Alice Welch has a bouquet of daisies picked October 30.

Irene Wiley called on Resper Bean Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Hiltz spent Saturday evening with the Jakolas.

## SCRIBNER HILL NOTES

Lena K. Dyer

Saturday night Harry and Delia Stone celebrated their forty-fourth wedding anniversary. Ellis Stone and family and Millie Lessard and friend were the guests.

Sunday the Stones entertained Mr. Henry Lessard and family from Lewiston and Monday Mr. and Mrs. George Dingley from Portland were dinner guests of the Stones.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lowe attended the Teachers Convention at Bangor and spent the week end at the Blethen House at Dover Foxcroft.

Miss Sonja Jillson brought home her rank card this week with an A in every subject.

The Culberts have completed their chimneys etc. Fred is busy plowing and Doris is cleaning up. Marian is expected home Saturday.

Edwin Jillson and Harry Whittum are putting in a new culvert in front of Jillsons.

The Dean Peacos returned home Sunday night and report a very enjoyable trip.

Those receiving 100 in spelling last week at Helen's school on the Gore were Janice Johnson, Ruth Brackett, Milton Johnson and Diana Boley.

The Hortons from New Haven, Conn. arrived at the Peacos Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dyer were supper guests of the Ralph Freemans Friday night.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Downing, Mabel Wilbur, Howard and Lena Dyer called on the Vern Spillers at Raymond and the Grants at Poland.

Tuesday the Dyers went to Lewiston shopping.

## OXFORD

The Anderson Staples American Legion Post and Auxiliary held a Halloween party at the Legion rooms on Monday night.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of the Congregational Church met with Mrs. Joseph Robinson Wednesday afternoon.

The Young Peoples Society is putting on a baked fish supper at the Chapel on Friday night. The time is 5.30 p.m. This will be followed by a sale by the Ladies Circle.

On Tuesday Nov. 5 there will be a drama in the High School Gym at 8 p.m. The name of the drama, "The Dutch Detective". The cast is all local and the proceeds go to the Ladies Circle.

On Wednesday night the Men's Club will meet at the Chapel for an oyster stew supper at 6.30 p.m.

Mrs. Frank Teague, who has been ill is able to go out now.

Mrs. Ella Whitney visited Mr. and Mrs. Percy Whitney and family in Kittery over the week end.

Charles Kidder plans to go to Portland Friday to see the Portland Tractor Co. about getting the tractor delivered.

Doris Culbert spent Tuesday evening with Ola Lamb.

## OTISFIELD GORE

Mrs. Will Decker of Norway and grandson Edwin Fannhey and lady friend of Portland were Wednesday afternoon callers of Ruby Green and family.

Mrs. Shirley Thomas and two children spent the afternoon in Norway with Mrs. Oscar Witham, Thursday.

Florence Brackett of Boston is spending several days with her folks. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brackett and family

Charlie Brackett, who is attending Barbers School in Boston was also home over the week end.

Billy Bennett is going out of the farming business. He sold four cows and two bossies to Sanford Annis. He is now taking flying lessons at Auburn.

Ralph Vining and son Donald and mother Eva Jillson spent Thursday evening with the Green family.

Kenneth Jackson of Oxford visited his grandmother Mrs. Sanford Annis from Wednesday night until Saturday night.

Leroy Linnell and his two nieces, the Johnson twins, were callers at Lester Thomas Sunday.

Janyce Johnson spent the week end in South Paris with her sister Sonia, caring for the Brown children while their folks were away.

Eleanor Jean Flanders spent the week end with her grandparents Thannie and Ruby Green, while her folks were moving their camp to Raymond. She also visited Harley and Milton Johnson Sunday afternoon.

Crystal Irene Thomas called on Eleanor Jean Sunday forenoon. Although there was not much conversation between them they seemed to have a good time.

Mrs. Doris Brooks and two children Philip and Barbara and Barbara's girlfriend Estelle Walton of Lewiston were at Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Annis' Monday.

Sunday callers at the Green's were Lester and Crystal Thomas, Everett York, Roy Wilkie, Loren Brett and Mr. and Mrs. Merton Bonney and son.

Ralph Thomas and family were callers at Charlie Thurlow's Sunday.

Everett Harlow of South Paris helped Charlie Thurlow put paper on his barn Sunday.

Earl Dresser has bought a new harrow to go on his tractor.

Carl Jones has been helping Charlie Thurlow dig potatoes. We wonder if the potatoes are the only attraction up there???

Charlie Thurlow went down Sunday and got his two heifers and one for Thannie Green from Harry Stone's pasture.

L. C. Andrews truck got stuck in Charlie Grover's dooryard Sunday and Lester Thomas had to go to their rescue.

Richard Dyer took his grandfather to Auburn Monday morning.



## GERTRUDE'S CORNER

Hi folks. Halloween is here again, that night when perhaps the old witch may be seen way up in the sky riding on her broom with the black cat for company.

I do not much think we will see her tho, as withes are getting scarce now-a-days and if there are any I presume they ride in airplanes when they take to the sky, for it must be a lot easier to keep one's balance in a plane with a black cat for a fellow passenger.

Another thing, I would be afraid pussy might scratch, causing me to lose hold if I let go and corrected her, or that my hat might start to blow off and I would make a grab for it and thus lose balance. So children on the whole, don't be disappointed if there are no withes in the air on brooms. You know brooms are pretty costly just now and of rather poor quality and black cats are not very plenty.

-Gertrude I. Barrows

## SPURRS CORNER

Helen Mitchell and Stella McAuliffe are working for Forest Edwards.

Mary McAuliffe, Lt. J.G. was home Saturday night and Sunday.

The Otisfield Grange worked the first and second degrees on five candidates last Saturday night. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and coffee were served. Two guests from Crooked River Grange attended. Otisfield Grange was invited to take their candidates to Crooked River Grange for their third and fourth degrees.

Cartha Saunders was home over the weekend.

Cornelius McAuliffe spent Sunday night in Portland.

Walter Hamlin is peddling apples.

There's a man from East Oxford peddling meat in this section.

Wilmot Lord has a crew of men cutting bushes on the State road to Casco.

Elmer and Clara LaTulip are enjoying their new Ford.

Stella Jackson attended Teachers Convention in Bangor; her two children stayed with relatives in Madison and Mrs. Jackson spent the weekend with them there.

In answer to the article written by a G.I. mother.

Where did these G.I.s get all the money to buy these fifteen and twenty thousand dollar houses? Shipyard workers and civilians don't have the money!

An out-of-state reader

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wiley and three children had dinner with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Freeman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson and daughter Linda called on the Webbers Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Lunde and daughter Doris were in Harrison Monday night to celebrate Pamela Haavisto's birthday.

## BOLSTERS MILLS

Lill Skillings motored to Portland Wednesday with the Spillers. She brought home some yarn to keep her busy this winter while she's a "woman of leisure". Lill has decided that she doesn't like staying alone winters so she's going over to Harrison to stay with Mrs. Edith Mains.

Thursday evening the W.S.C.S. is having a "Going Away" party for the folks who leave us Pinhookites in the winter months. More about it in next weeks news.

The electric light men moved a pole from in front of Verne Knightly's house Wednesday.

The Village Library Association held their Annual meeting Thursday Oct. 24, at Lelia Cornbellacks. The following officers were elected for the coming year; President, Mr. Ernest Gay, Secretary, Ruth Knightly, Treasurer, Lelia Cornbellack, Executive committee, Lill Skillings, Ethel Skillings and Elmer

Mills, Book Comm., Elmer Mills, Alice Holgate, Edna Lord, and Ruth Knightly. Voted to buy books not exceeding \$1.00. Five new members joined the Association, the dues being \$.50 for life membership.

Edward Forbes, who runs the store across the bridge, has swapped his car for a panel truck.

BEARS are loose in this vicinity. Up where the Frenchmen are cutting dogs chased one around so that it frightened the horses one day so they couldn't work. Just the other night one was up behind Ralph Dyer barn and got his horses all worked up.

Lawrence Spiller and his crew have been sawing wood the past two days.

Will sure hate to see the month of October go by. It has been such a warm and beautiful month this year that it would be nice to have it continue until spring. But alas, we'll be wearing our red flannels and enjoy the snow and cold weather just the same.

Such a lot of leaves there are to fall to the ground after the frost. Lawrence Lord has been raking them up on the Cannell lawns and I bet there's a hundred bushel and he's still raking.

The Selectmen sold the truck Tuesday to a Mr. Chase of Gardiner. The price \$2500 cash was agreed upon by the selectmen Friday night. Ads were inserted in the Portland and Lewiston papers; 10 inquiries were received with the result that it was sold to Mr. Chase for \$2500. The check is now in the hands of the Treasurer for the full amount. Selectmen are now making every effort to secure light equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Webber Jr. leave Friday night for Millinocket for a week's hunting.